

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
		:	Examiner: L. Ben
MIKIYA UMEYAMA ET AL.)	
		:	Group Art Unit: 2873
Application No.: 10/629,864)	
		;	
Filed: July 30, 2003)	
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For:	LIQUID DISCHARGE RECORDING)	
	HEAD, LIQUID DISCHARGE	:	
	RECORDING APPARATUS, AND)	
	METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING	: 4	
	LIQUID DISCHARGE HEAD)	January 21, 2005

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to further examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows: